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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/676,234 for  
METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PROVIDING LAWFUL INTERCEPT  
OF A MEDIA STREAM IN A MEDIA GATEWAY  
Our File No. 1497/5

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1. An Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages);
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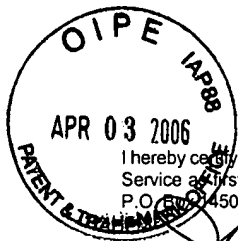
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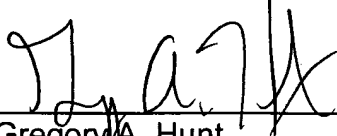
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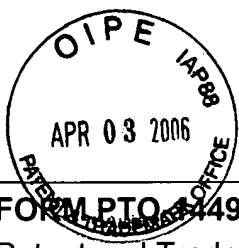
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